

SENATOR CARPENTER: I move the bill be advanced to E & R for Initial.

PRESIDENT: Question now is, shall LB 541 be advanced from General File to E & R Initial? All those in favor will vote aye, all those opposed will vote no. We are voting on the advancement of LB 541 from General File. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, no nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. Do we bring up 17A then?

CLERK: I have a motion, Mr. President, to unbracket LB 396 on Genral File.

PRESIDENT: LB 396? Any objections to unbracketing 396?

CLERK: It's Senator Whitney's bill. The request comes from Senator Mahoney.

PRESIDENT: Senator Mahoney, we're ready for your request here on unbracketing 396.

SENATOR MAHONEY: Mr. President, I ask that 396 be unbracketed for a simple little amendment. You ready for the explanation?

PRESIDENT: Are there objections to unbracketing the bill? Any objections to unbracketing the bill? Senator Whitney. All right, so ordered, the bill is unbracketed. Senator Mahoney.

SENATOR MAHONEY: Mr. President, this amendment so that the investment council which invests monies for state agencies...

PRESIDENT: Stand by, the bill may not have been read here. You'd better read the bill

CLERK: Reads title. There are no committee amendments, Mr. President. There are lengthy amendments that have been printed in the Journal by Senator Carpenter. These amendments appear on page 577 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I move that this be bracketed. This, the executive, what's this, for the council, public council?

CLERK: Nebraska Investment Council.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Oh, that's on the investment of money in the school fund for tuition? I think this is a matter that ought to be held up and bracketed with the other two bills which were bracketed because of the involvement in the same application. Now this is not what Senator Whitney originally had the bill for and if he has no objection why I think we ought to do that.

PRESIDENT: Well, Senator--wait a minute, maybe we can go out of the thicket here. Let's see, Senator Carpenter, we have your amendments up here and Senator Mahoney just moved to unbracket 396 in order to work on an amendment that he apparently is interested in regarding the bill. Now is it all right to work on the bill and then we bracket it after that if you do then, or how ever you chose it because of your amendment? In other words, I'm asking you if you'll yield--if you want to yield to Senator Mahoney. I would honor your request to...

SENATOR CARPENTER: No, no, I'll yield to Senator Mahoney and